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## VALUE PARTNERS GROUP LIMITED

惠理集團有限公司

*(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 806)**

### PROFIT WARNING

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**Shareholders of the Company and potential investors should exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.**

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The Group continued to maintain a strong financial position with assets under management (“AUM”) stably held at US\$7.2 billion as at 30 June 2012 (same as 31 December 2011) and the Group managed to achieve a net inflow of US\$71 million to AUM during the first half of the year 2012.

This announcement is only based on a preliminary review of the unaudited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2012, which have not yet been finalised and are subject to the review of the Company and its auditor.

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By Order of the Board  
**Value Partners Group Limited**  
**TSE Wai Ming, Timothy**  
*Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director*

Hong Kong, 7 August 2012

*As at the date of this Announcement, our Directors are Mr. Cheah Cheng Hye, Ms. Hung Yeuk Yan Renee, Mr. So Chun Ki Louis and Mr. Tse Wai Ming, Timothy as Executive Directors and Dr. Chen Shih Ta Michael, Mr. Lee Siang Chin and Mr. Nobuo Oyama as Independent Non-executive Directors.*